

Parish Life July 23 - 31

Saturday, July 23

- 6:30pm **Vigil** w. Fr. David Arnold
- 8pm Confessions

Sunday, July 24

**Happy Birthday Abiel Bekele**

**Namesday for Kristina Winter**

- 10am **Divine Liturgy** w/Fr. David Arnold
- 12pm Fellowship Hour (IV)
- 12:30pm Bread Ministry (team C)
- 6pm Girls Group Meeting

Monday, July 25

**Anna Zamora Namesday**

Tuesday, July 26 *St. Jacob, Enlightner & Healer of the Aleuts*

- No Moleben Today

Wednesday, July 27 *Greatmartyr & Healer Panteleimon*

- 6:30pm Reader's **Vespers**
- 7:32pm Christian Education Class:  
*"Iconography w/Daniel Werner"*

Thursday, July 28

**Myra Lourie Namesday**

Friday, July 29

Saturday, July 30

**Happy Birthday Charles Hudson, Noah Jackson**

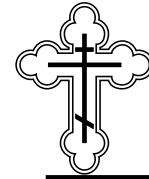
**Silas Reeves Namesday**

- 6:30pm **Vigil**
- 8pm Confessions

Sunday, July 31

**Happy Birthday Joshua Lourie, Fr. Justin**

- 10am **Divine Liturgy**
- 12pm Fellowship Hour (I)
- 12:30pm Bread Ministry (team D)
- 6pm Girls Group Meeting



# Saint Athanasius

ORTHODOX CHURCH

**Sunday, July 24, 2016**

*5th Sunday After Pentecost*

Today's Readings: Romans 10:1-10 Matthew 8:28-29:1



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**Welcome Archpriest David Arnold**, Dean of the Appalachian Deanery of the Diocese of the South! We appreciate Fr. David taking time to be with us and presiding over the weekend cycle of services in Fr. Justin's absence this weekend.

**Tuesday Moleben is cancelled for this week.** Fr. Justin and Deacon Simeon will be attending the Diocesan Assembly in North Carolina Tuesday thru Friday this coming week. If you have a pastoral emergency, please contact one of the Orthodox parish priests in Lexington: Fr. Tom at St. Andrew's or Fr. Cosmin at Panagia.

**Wednesday Evening will be a Reader's Vespers** at 6:30pm. The Christian Education Class following will be a presentation by our parishioner and iconographer, Daniel Werner. He will discuss the purpose of icons and how that purpose forms the stylistic range of traditional Christian imagery. In other words: *why do we have icons in the first place and why do they look the way they do.*

**Parish Library** We have been receiving many book donations to the parish library—Glory to God! In order to maintain order and proper placement of the books, we will begin using a "Donation Basket" to receive newly donated books for consideration to the library. Once approved the books will be given the church stamp and placed on the appropriate shelving. This simple procedure should help keep our library in good order for the enjoyment of all.

**Prayers Requested for youth** who will be traveling to Indiana today for a week of summer camp at St. John's.

**Dormition Fast Begins in 8 days— August 1 - 14!**

**Budget Needs** weekly: \$3,265 / monthly: \$14,150  
July 17 Offering: \$ 1,760 July Total to date: \$ 6,160

**Welcome Guests & Visitors to our weekend cycle of services!**

We are happy you are worshipping with us and will gladly answer any questions you may have at the end of the service. You may sit or stand, and participate at your comfort level. *Reminder: Holy Communion is open to all baptized Orthodox Christians who have observed the fasting requirements, had recent confession, and are at peace with neighbors.*

**Upcoming Christian Education Classes**

- ★ August 3 - 31 - "5-Part Series on Orthodoxy & Society" (Fr. Justin)
- ★ September 7, 14, 21 - "Keeping Vigil" (Fr. Justin)
- ★ September 28 - Fr. Justin will begin teaching a series on the basic tenets of the Orthodox Faith.

Parish Challenge!! Let's share our Christian faith by extending an invitation to friends and neighbors to come with us to our Wednesday evening Vespers and catechesis.

**Annual Celebration of the Feast of St. Panteleimon**

The Hermitage of the Holy Cross invites you to celebrate the feast of the Holy Great Martyr and Healer Panteleimon with the brotherhood and fellow pilgrims of the monastery. His Grace Bishop Nicholas of Manhattan will preside.

Monday August 8 at 6:30 pm

**Vigil with Litia and Akathist**

Tuesday August 9 at 9am

**Hierarchal Divine Liturgy with Procession and Moleben**

Mark your calendars for October 1 & 2 for the 30th Anniversary Pilgrimage Weekend at Holy Cross Monastery.

Date	Readers	Handmaidens	Prospora	Bread Ministry	Fellowship	Greeter	Doorkeeper	Counters
July 24	Reader Rick Cook	Suzannah Reeves Nicole Rusu	Sarah Holiday	Team C (Inessa Verenich, Tanya Viarenich)	Team IV (Walther)	Rebecca Wilson	Jeff Hart	Rebecca Wilson Tim Powell
July 31	Subdeacon Bert Walther	Teresa Powell Shannon Cook	Alina Rusu	Team D (Lisa Powell, Linda Frangedakis)	Team I (Frangedakis)	Josh Lourie	Chris Naughton	Laura Walther Mary Cook
August 7	Reader Rick Cook	Anya Jacobs Myra Lourie	Alina Rusu	Team A (Karis Jacobs, Ben Worthington)	<b>Team II</b> <b>(Siskar)</b>	John Mize	Myra Lourie Linda F.	Tim Powell Ellie Sutter
August 14	Reader Bert Walther	Rebecca Walther Mandariah Reeves	Sarah Holiday	Team B (Laura Walther, Beth Walther)	<b>Team III</b> <b>(Bradshaw)</b>	Rebecca Wilson	Paul Frangedakis	Rebecca Wilson Mary Cook